level training programmes were organised during 2001-2002. The Department of Agriculture and Cooperation is the nodal department for implementation of the various provisions of the Protection of Plant Verieties and Farmers' Rights Act 2001. The Act provides for the constitution of Gene Fund which may be applied for meeting the expenditure for supporting the conservation and sustainable use of genetic resources including *in-situ* and *ex-situ* collections and for strengthening the capability of the Panchayat in carrying out such conservation and sustainable use under the Clause-45(2) (c) of the aforesaid Act.

Gujarat proposals for animal husbandry and horticulture development

1772.SHRI BACHANILEKHRAJ: Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) the proposals for animal husbandry and horticulture development of Gujarat pending for financial assistance;

(b) since when they have been pending and the reasons therefor;

(c) by when they are likely to be cleared; and

(d) the funds allocated under these schemes during the last three years for Gujarat particularly for the Saurashtra and Kutch regions?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRIHUKUMDEO NARAYAN YADAV): (a) to (d)The information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the House.

MSPs for agricultural products

† 1773. SHRI KRIPAL PARMAR: Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) the details Minimum Support Price fixed for all the agricultural products and the foodgrains, during the last three years; and

(b) the details of crops whose prices fell below their Minimum Support Price during the same period?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI HUKUMDEO NARAYAN YADAV): (a) A statement showing the

† Original notice of the question was received in Hindi.